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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 2-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed December 31, 2008, said period of response being extended from March 31, 2009 to May 31, 2009.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-3478 in the amount of \$245 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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